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1. The Administration for Soviet Property in Germany (USIG) is located in Berlin-Weissensee, Berliner Allee 107-110. The highest official at USIG is General (Generaloberst) Bogdan Zakharovich Kobulov. He visits the USIG building, however, only two or three days each month. The rest of the time he remains in part in Karlshorst, but mainly in Moscow. Kobulov was last observed at USIG around Christmas 1952. He usually wears civilian clothes, but occasionally he wears a uniform; he has a dark complexion. Kobulov has at his disposal two large limousines, a ZIG and a ZIM, both black; the cars are equipped with a blue warning light and a siren. His driver is a Russian civilian named (fnu) Kuznetsov. Kobulov's villa in the Karlshorst Compound is on Teselerstrasse between Godesbergerstrasse and Bonaparterstrasse. Kobulov has the following adjutants:

- a. Col. (fnu) Polynov
b. A captain, name unknown, who always accompanies Kobulov on his trips. The Captain is referred to as "Snow White" (Schneewittchen) by the German staff because of his liver spots (Leberflecken).
c. (fnu) Subarov

Kobulov flies from Berlin from the Johannisthal Airfield. Kuznetsov, the German driver of Kobulov, was at USIG Headquarters in mid-February 1953, but it is not known whether Kobulov was there on that occasion. Kuznetsov lives in the Karlshorst Compound and is not used by any other Soviet official during Kobulov's absences.

2. The following officials are on duty with USIG:

- a. Colonel Polynov, Adjutant to Kobulov - [redacted]

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- b. (Fnu) Pomenko. [redacted]
- c. (Fnu) Subarov. Adjutant to Kobulov - [redacted]

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d. (Fnu) Pozner - in the Legal Section at USIG with Lagutin;

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e. (Fnu) Chereshev - [redacted]

f. (Fnu) Duk - [redacted]

g. (Fnu) Kashirin. Chief of the USIG Motor Pool - [redacted]

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h. (Fnu) Lagutin. Chief of the Legal Section at USIG - [redacted]

i. (Fnu) Andrianov - [redacted]

j. (Fnu) Leonshev - [redacted]

k. (Fnu) Kikelevich - [redacted]

3. The USIG Motor Pool consists of eighty vehicles, including passenger cars and trucks. About three-fourths of them have East Berlin license numbers.

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The permanent cars have Russian license plates reserved for the higher USIG officials and driven only by Russian civilian chauffeurs;

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The USIG trucks The USIG vehicles formerly all had Soviet license plates.

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4. The German Chief of the USIG Motor Pool is Hans Helbig,

The following drivers are assigned to specific civilian officials at USIG:

- Kurt Paetzow, assigned to Polynov
 - Harry Pink and Bruno Demski, both assigned to Fomenko.
 - Fritz Selchow, assigned to Duk.
- There are only three Russian drivers on duty at USIG. The Christian names of two of them are Nista and Sasha.

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5. During the period from 1949 to 1952 many of the Russian officials at USIG frequently had themselves driven from Weissensee to a house in the Karlshorst Compound located on the corner of Marksburgerstrasse and Rheingoldstrasse. The Russians referred to this house as the Administrative Section (AKhO).

6. Since 1951 the First Secretary of the SED Shop Group at USIG has been Karl Englert. There is a section at USIG known among the Germans as the Secret Section (Geheimabteilung); its office location and chief unknown. The chief of this section is always driven by a Russian driver.

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